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Title : **METHOD OF PREPARING A FOOD INGREDIENT  
AND FOOD PRODUCT HAVING ANGIOTENSIN-I-  
CONVERTING ENZYME INHIBITING  
PROPERTIES AND PRODUCTS THUS OBTAINED**

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.